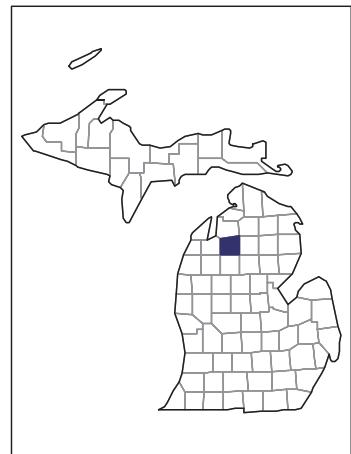


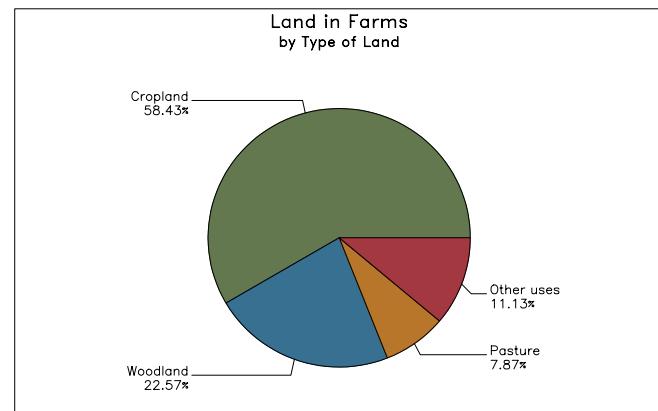
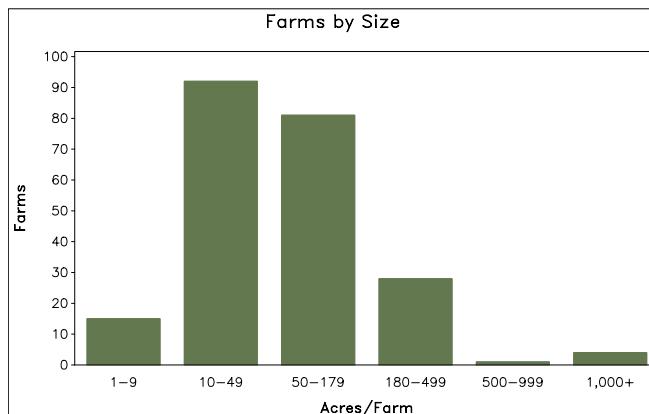
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County Profile

Kalkaska, Michigan



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	221	175	+ 26
Land in Farms	23,464 acres	24,104 acres	- 3
Average Size of Farm	106 acres	138 acres	- 23
 Market Value of Production	 \$6,055,000	 \$5,636,000	 + 7
Crop Sales \$5,253,000 (87 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$802,000 (13 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$27,397	\$32,203	- 15
 Government Payments	 \$82,000	 \$55,000	 + 51
Average Per Farm	\$1,865	\$2,478	- 25



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Ranked items among the 83 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	6,055	65	83	2,764	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	5,253	53	83	2,220	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	802	76	83	2,924	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	251	66	82	2,291	2,933
Tobacco	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	437
Cotton and cottonseed	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	3,947	25	81	386	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	81	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	314	56	80	1,624	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	81	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	393	67	83	2,307	3,054
Poultry and eggs	23	65	82	2,091	3,020
Cattle and calves	(D)	(D)	83	(D)	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	77	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	16	64	82	2,069	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	19	57	79	2,318	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	24	66	82	2,589	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	41	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	82	(D)	2,875
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Layers	1,334	53	82	1,391	3,024
Cattle and calves	1,115	75	83	2,895	3,060
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	670	37	81	1,019	2,476
Horses and ponies	417	65	83	2,433	3,066
Deer ³	(D)	(D)	68	(D)	1,246
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	4,593	74	83	2,359	3,060
Vegetables harvested, all	1,674	28	81	387	2,794
Potatoes	1,256	7	73	128	2,124
Cut Christmas trees	1,012	9	81	47	1,756
Rye for grain	(D)	6	65	(D)	977

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	97
\$1,000 to \$2,499	30
\$2,500 to \$4,999	31
\$5,000 to \$9,999	17
\$10,000 to \$19,999	23
\$20,000 to \$24,999	8
\$25,000 to \$39,999	6
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	(-)
\$100,000 to \$249,999	4
\$250,000 to \$499,999	1
\$500,000 or more	3
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	6,494
Average per farm (\$)	29,385
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	279
Average per farm (\$)	1,262

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	83
Other	138
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	156
Female	65
Average age of principal operator (years)	55.3
All operators ² by race:	
American Indian or Alaska Native	3
Asian	(-)
Black or African American	(-)
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	(-)
White	323
More than one race	2
All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	(-)

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

¹ Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.

² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.

³ Items with a rank that cannot be disclosed are separated by a blank line, position in table does not indicate rank.